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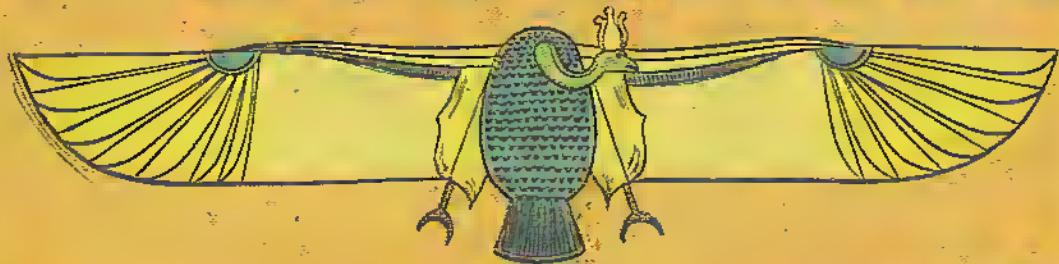
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KID ETERNITY has the power to become visible or invisible at will, the ability to call in any character in history or mythology merely by saying "Eternity"!

And he is accompanied by MR. KEEPER, whose job it is to grant Kid Eternity his magic power!

Follow them through their weird adventure as a three thousand year old menace rises to bring TERROR FROM THE TOMB!

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In the seldom visited wing of a library, Kid Eternity is catching up on his studies!

WHAT ARE THUGGOHTS, MR. KEEPER?

THUGGOHTS?

DID I FRIGHTEN YOU? I WAS READING ABOUT THEM IN THIS BOOK!

YOU DON'T SIGHT SEE ANY AROUND HERE, DO YOU?



THE THUGGOHTS WERE HATED CREATURES -- MORE BEASTS THAN MEN! -- SUPPOSED TO BE THE EVIL COUNTERPART OF THE PHOENIX! WHEREVER THEY WENT, MEN DIED!



I REMEMBER A FEW THOUSAND YEARS AGO WHEN KING TUT WIPE OUT THE LAST OF THEM! HE WROTE DOWN HOW HE DID IT SO WE'D KNOW HOW TO HANDLE THEM IF THEY EVER CAME BACK.



BUT THOSE ANCIENT RECORDS WERE DESTROYED WHEN THE LIBRARY AT ALEXANDRIA WAS GUTTED BY FIRE!



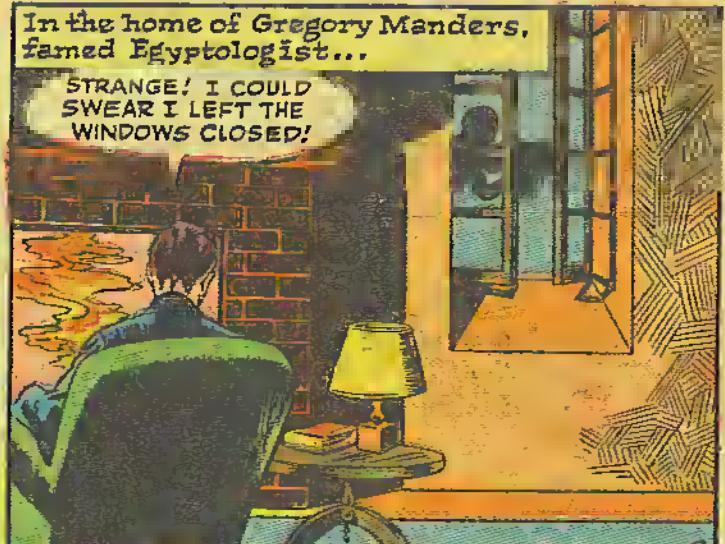
MAYBE! BUT I CAN'T HELP WONDERING IF THE DESTRUCTION OF THOSE ANCIENT VOLUMES WAS AN ACCIDENT! ... IF THE THUGGOHTS WERE TO COME BACK, THEY MIGHT BEGIN BY DESTROYING THOSE VERY RECORDS!

ULP!



In the home of Gregory Manders, famed Egyptologist...

STRANGE! I COULD SWEAR I LEFT THE WINDOWS CLOSED!





Later, as Henry La Verne is leaving a museum in London...

ALL THROUGH FOR THE DAY, MR. LA VERNE?

YES! IT'S A PLEASANT NIGHT! I THINK I'LL WALK HOME!



Next morning...



THE MURDERED MEN WERE BOTH FAMOUS EGYPTOLOGISTS! I'LL WAGER THEY WERE KILLED BECAUSE THEY KNEW WHAT WAS WRITTEN IN THAT ANCIENT VOLUME!

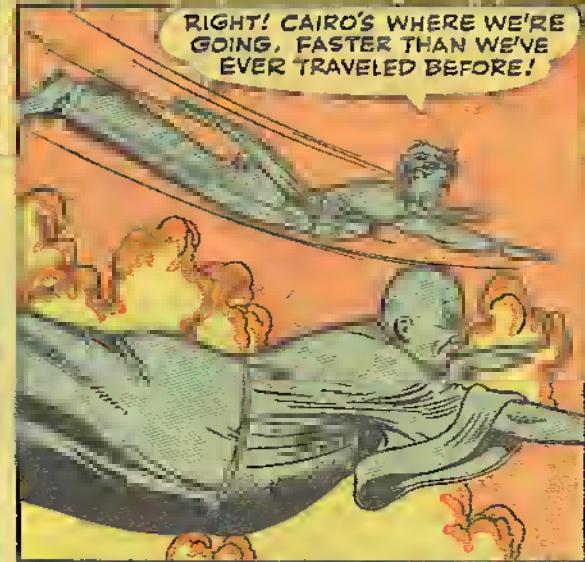
YOU--YOU MEAN THE THUGGOTHS DID IT?



I'M AFRAID SO! AND THEIR NEXT VICTIM WILL BE THE LAST SURVIVING AUTHORITY ON ANCIENT EGYPT!

HHMM! THAT WOULD BE SIR ALFRED NEWMARK! BUT HE'S IN CAIRO!

RIGHT! CAIRO'S WHERE WE'RE GOING, FASTER THAN WE'VE EVER TRAVELED BEFORE!

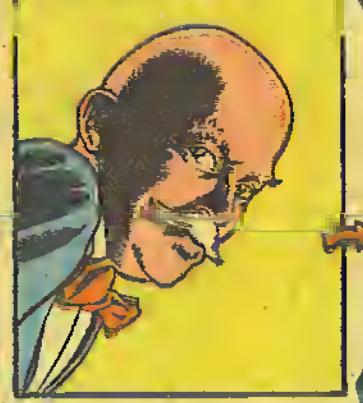


Meanwhile, Sir Alfred Newmark also reads—and interprets—the headlines...

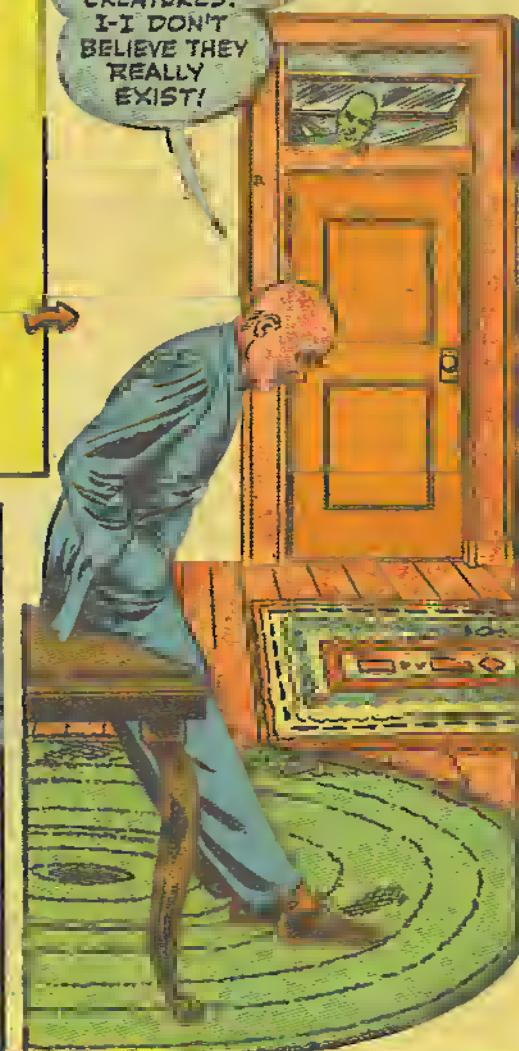
MANDERS AND LA VERNE MURDERED! POLICE FOUND CLAW PRINTS ON THEIR THROATS!



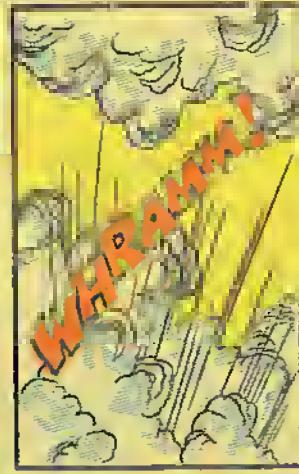
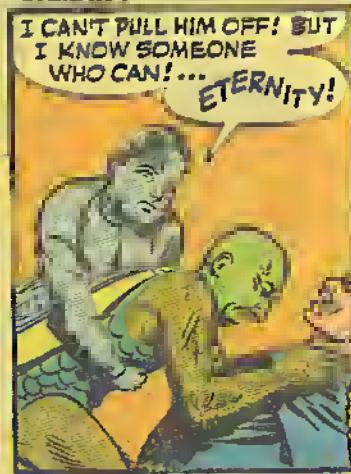
THAT DESCRIPTION FITS THE THUGGOHTS, THE ANCIENT BEAST-MEN OF LEGEND!



BUT THUGGOHTS ARE MYTHICAL CREATURES! I-I DON'T BELIEVE THEY REALLY EXIST!



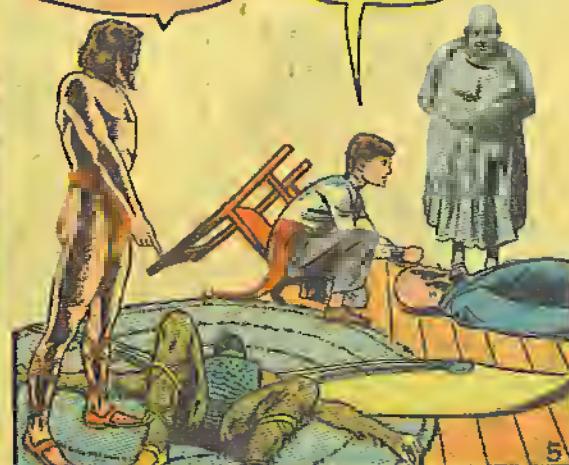
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HMM! SO I SEE!

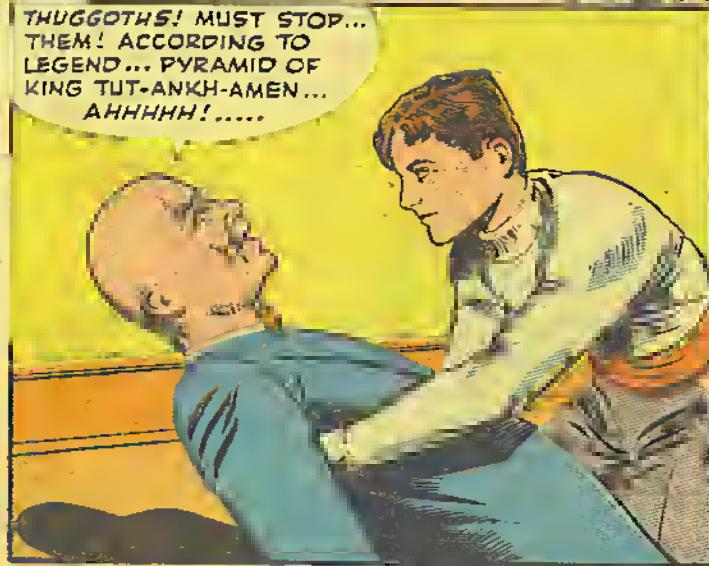
I FEAR THERE IS NO LIFE LEFT IN THIS BEAST!

BUT HE DID HIS JOB! ...NEWMARK IS DYING!

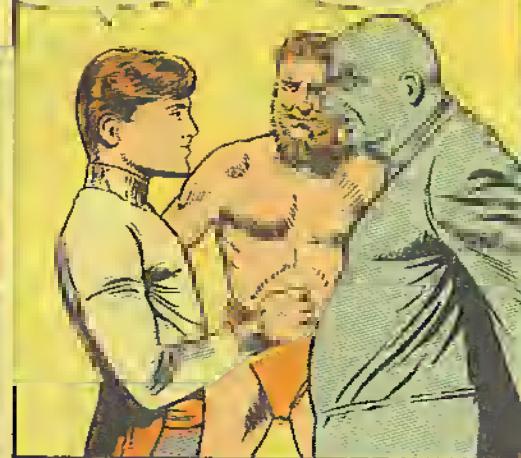


BUT HE DID HIS JOB! ...NEWMARK IS DYING!

THUGGOTHS! MUST STOP... THEM! ACCORDING TO LEGEND... PYRAMID OF KING TUT-ANKH-AMEN... AHHHHH!.....



HE'S DEAD! I WONDER WHY HE MENTIONED THE PYRAMID? Y-YOU'RE NOT THINKING OF GOING THERE, ARE YOU?



OF COURSE WE'RE GOING! BUT WE WON'T NEED ATLAS! HE CAN RETURN TO... ETERNITY!



Later...

THAT'S THE PYRAMID!



I DON'T FEEL SO GOOD!

COME ON. KEEP! FOLLOW ME!



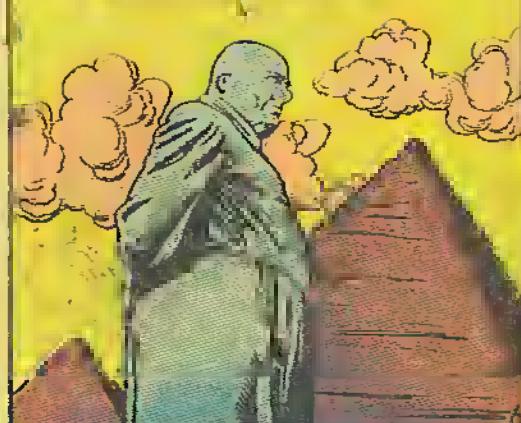
DON'T YOU THINK SOMEBODY OUGHT TO KEEP GUARD OUTSIDE?

ALL RIGHT! YOU CAN STAY HERE, IF YOU'RE REALLY AFRAID...

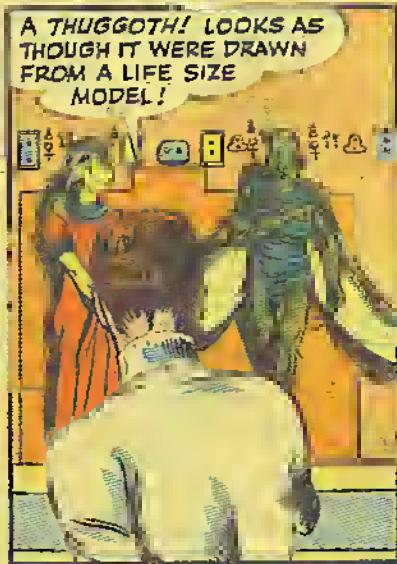


WHO, ME?

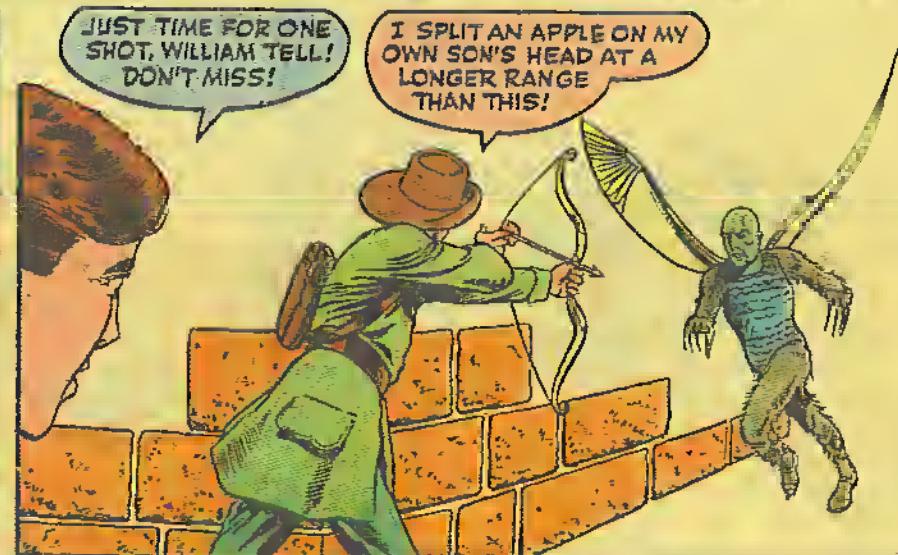
I'M NOT AFRAID! I'M JUST NATURALLY CAUTIOUS! AFTER THE FIRST MILLION YEARS OR SO, A MAN LEARNS TO AVOID TROUBLE!



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THIS MUST BE WHERE THE THUGGOTH WAS TAKING ME! THERE'S NO OTHER ENTRANCE!



GOOD GLORY!



I'VE FOUND THE HIDING PLACE OF THE THUGGOths!



THEIR LEADER SEEMS TO BE SAYING SOMETHING! I CAN'T UNDERSTAND THEIR LANGUAGE! BUT JOHANN SCHLEYER SHOULDN'T HAVE ANY TROUBLE! ... ETERNITY!

YOU WERE ONE OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST LINGUISTS, AND INVENTED THE UNIVERSAL LANGUAGE CALLED VOLAPÜK! WILL YOU ACT AS INTERPRETER?

I'LL BE GLAD TO DO WHAT I CAN!



HMM! HE SEEMS TO BE SPEAKING A MIXTURE OF ANCIENT SANSKRIT AND EGYPTIAN, PLUS CERTAIN UNIQUE GLUTTERALS!

NEVER MIND THAT! CAN YOU TRANSLATE WHAT HE IS SAYING?



ROUGHLY, YES! HE SAYS THE THUGGOths ARE NOW FREE OF THEIR AGE-OLD TYRANNY! HE WANTS THEM TO FOLLOW HIM ON A CONQUEST OF THE WORLD!

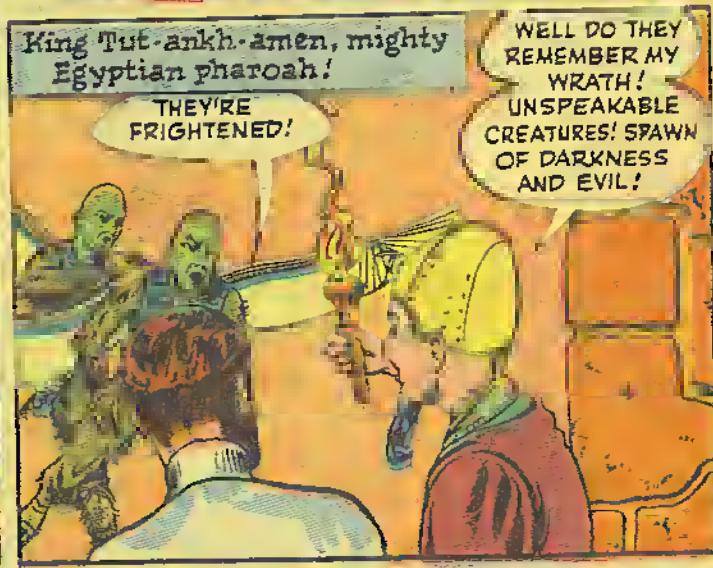
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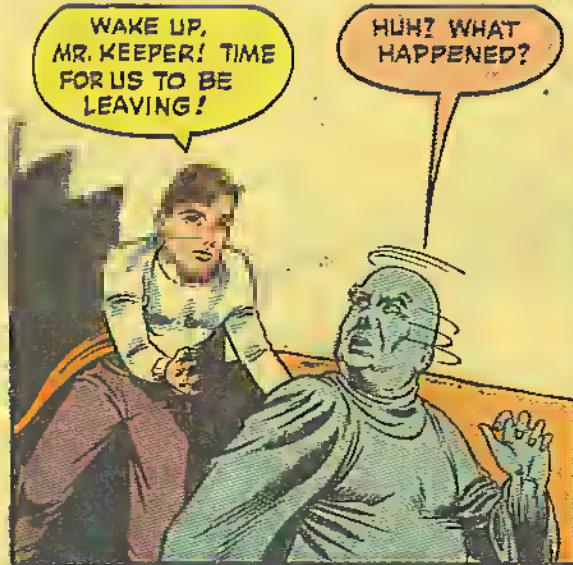
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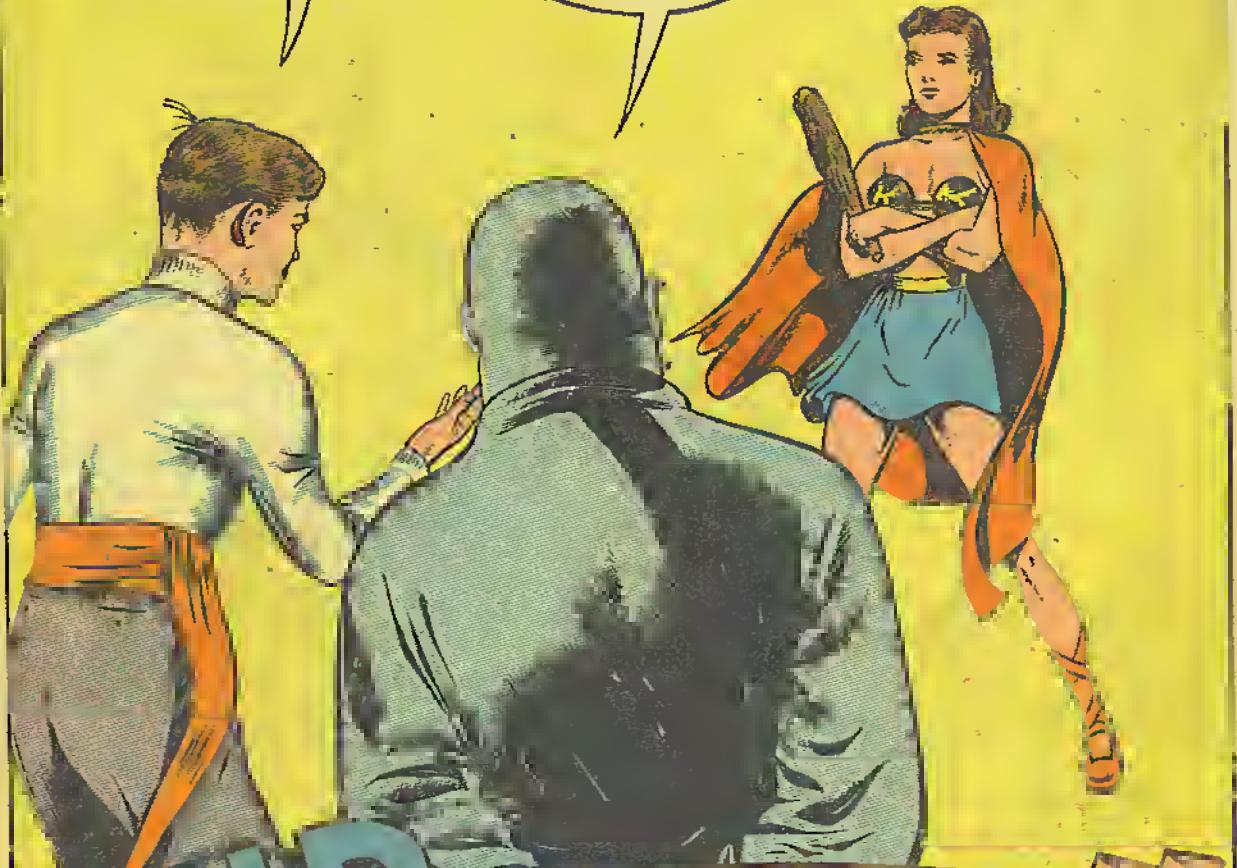


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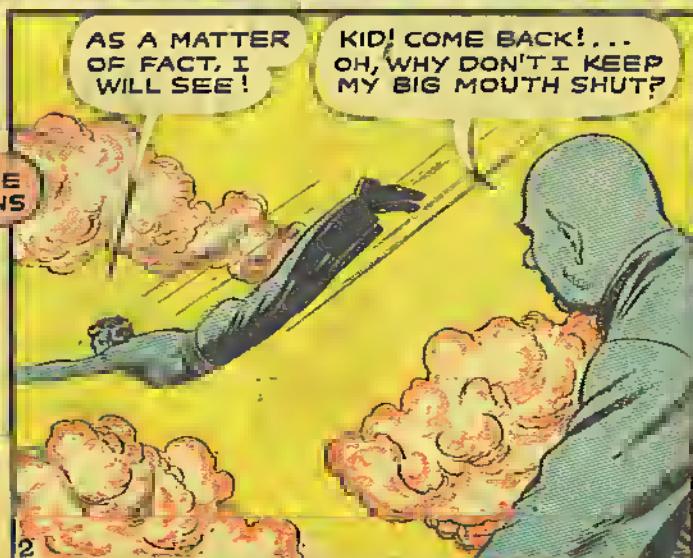
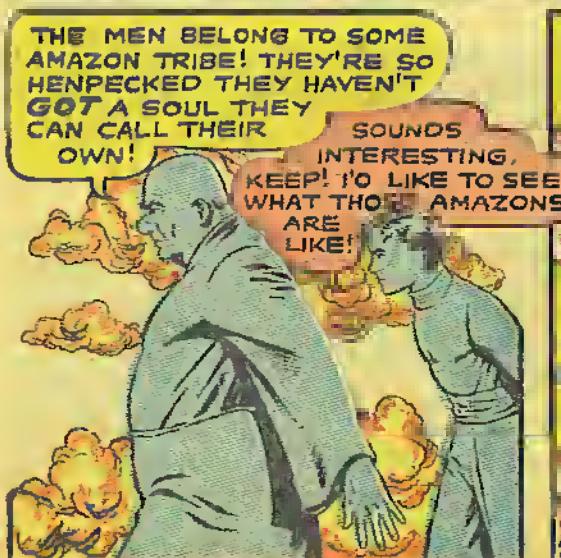
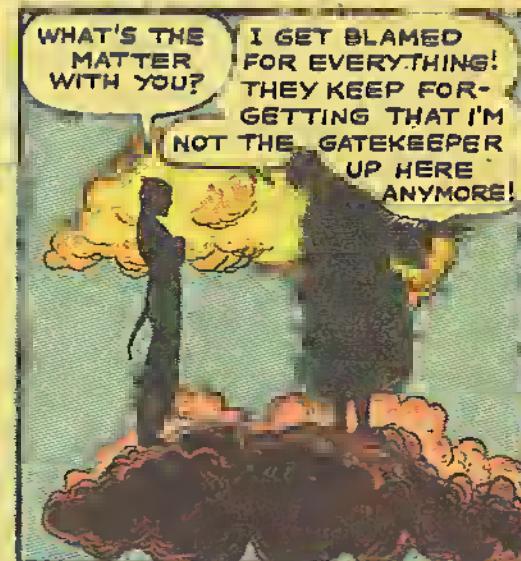
WHAT GOOD  
IS MY POWER?  
NOBODY I  
CALL ON WOULD  
BATTLE **HER!**

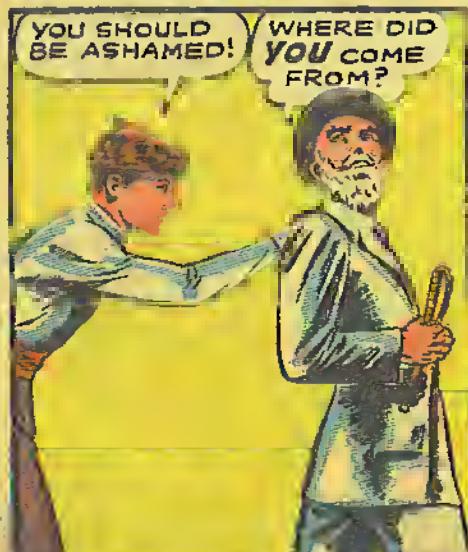
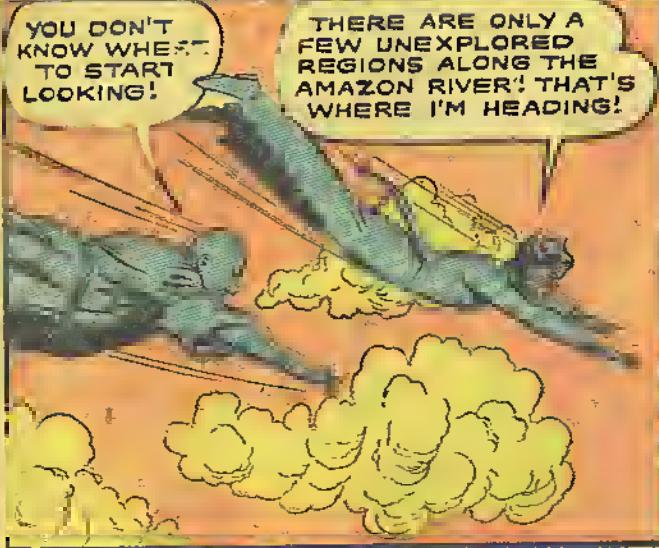
WHY ASK  
ME? I'M THE  
SPIRIT OF A  
MERE MAN,  
MYSELF!



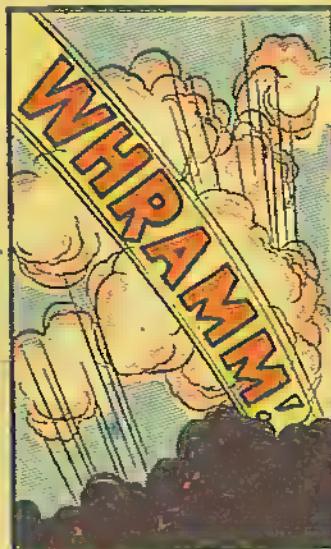
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NORMALLY **KID ETERNITY** FEELS EQUAL TO ANY SITUATION, SINCE IT IS WITHIN HIS POWER TO COMMAND THE SERVICES OF THE WORLD'S BEST KNOWN WARRIOR AND WISE MEN! BUT MORE THAN MIND OR MUSCLE WERE NEEDED WHEN HE FOUND RIP-ROARING ADVENTURE IN **THE LAND OF THE AMAZONS!**



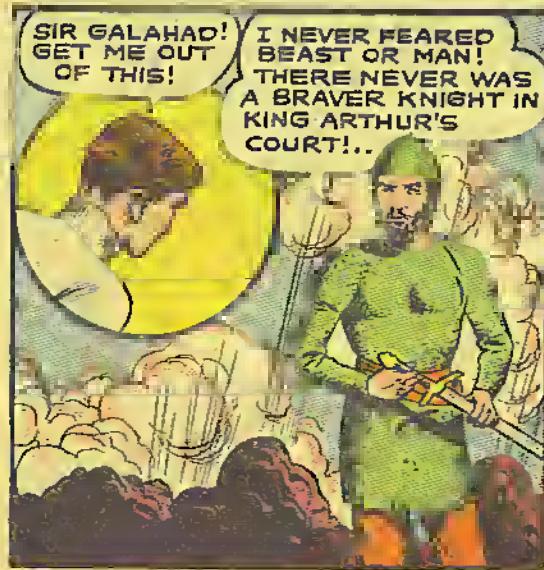


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BUT AT THIS MOMENT, MORE TROUBLE IS BREWING A SHORT DISTANCE FROM THE VILLAGE . . .

WHAT NOW, DR. TRASK?

WE WON'T GIVE UP! THERE'S A FORTUNE IN CINCHONA TREES IN THIS FOREST! BUT WE'LL NEED NATIVE LABOR TO STRIP THE BARK . . .

CINCHONA BARK MAKES QUININE! WORTH ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD! NOBODY'S GOING TO STOP ME FROM BRINGING THAT STUFF TO MARKET!



NOW, HERE'S WHAT WE'LL DO! AS SOON AS IT'S DARK, WE'LL SET FIRE TO THE VILLAGE! THE NATIVES WILL BE TOO DRUGGED WITH SLEEP TO FIGHT BACK . . .

WE'LL SHOOT DOWN ANYONE WHO RESISTS! AGAINST THE FIRELIGHT THEY'LL BE PERFECT TARGETS! THEN WE'LL ROUND UP THE REST OF 'EM AND MAKE THEM GO TO WORK FOR US!

YOU'VE GOT AN ITCHING BRAINS, PALM! I TRASK! I DIDN'T COME THIS FAR FOR NOTHING! AND I WON'T GO BACK EMPTY HANDED . . .



MEANWHILE . . .

WHO'S THERE?

M-MAY I COME IN?



IS ANYTHING WRONG?

I-I'M NOT SURE! I THOUGHT I HEARD VOICES! BUT MATILDA SAYS I WAS ONLY DREAMING!





OH, DEAR! I'LL CALL MATILDA! SHE'LL KNOW WHAT TO DO!



PATRICK CLANCY, OF THE OLD BOWERY HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY! SURE, AND YOU WANTED THE BEST FIRE FIGHTER, DIDN'T YOU?



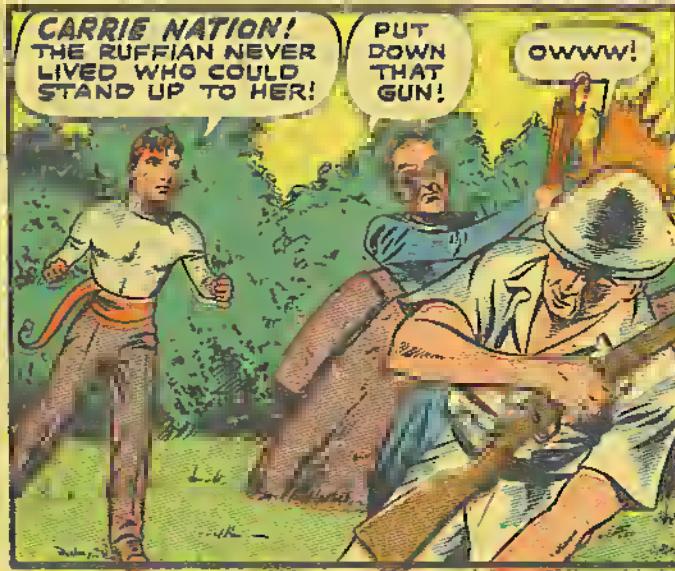
THEN YOU'RE GOOD ENOUGH FOR ME! WE'D BETTER HURRY WITH THIS FIREBREAK!



WHW! I CAN HARDLY KEEP UP WITH YOU!

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# SNAP SHOTZ

by AL STAHL

.....WELL, THEN,  
TRY MY PHOTO  
PORTRAIT SPECIAL--  
THREE VIEWS, FRONT,  
SIDE AND BACK,  
FOR ONE  
DOLLAR!

NO!  
NO!  
NO!

FOR  
SNAP  
SHOTS  
SEE  
"SNAP  
SHOTZ!"

AH! CONVINCED  
HIM AT LAST!

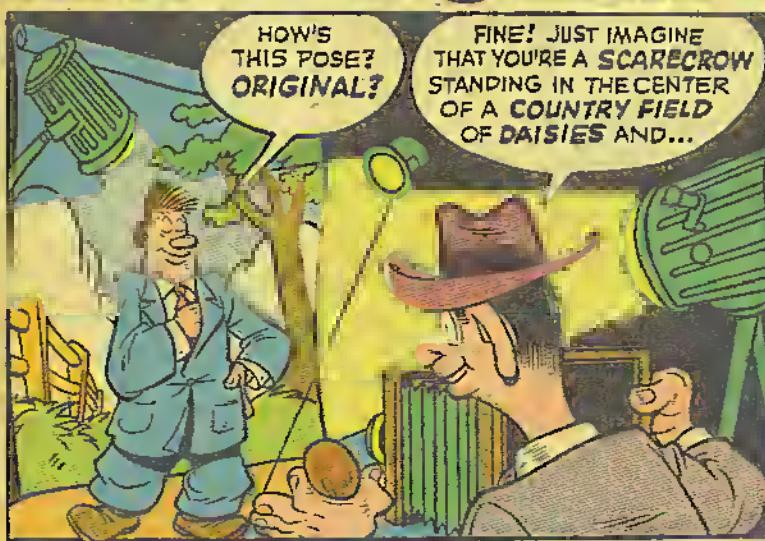
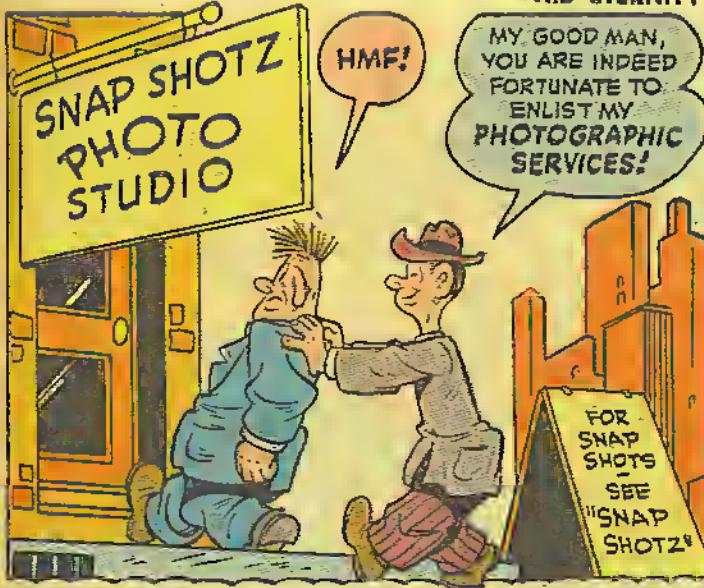
PLOP!

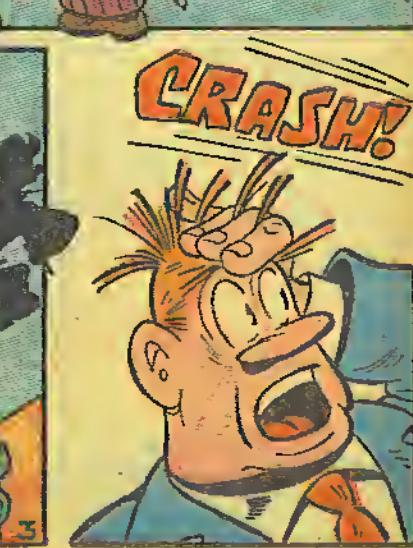
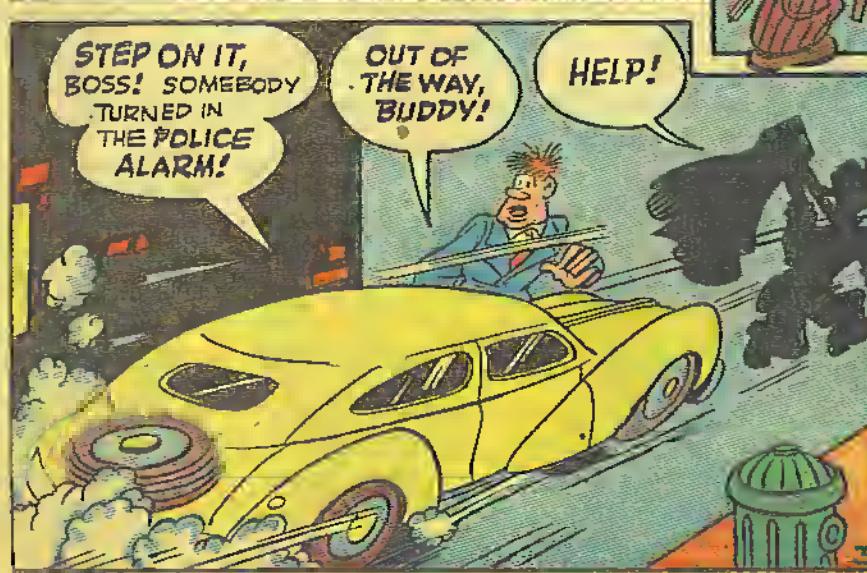
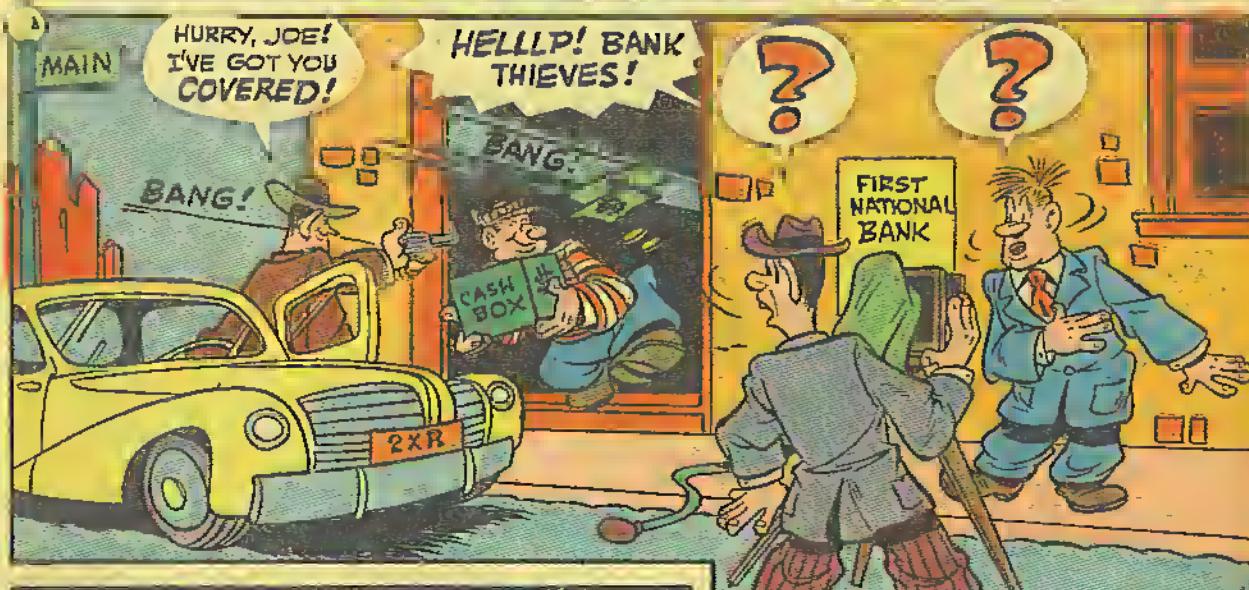
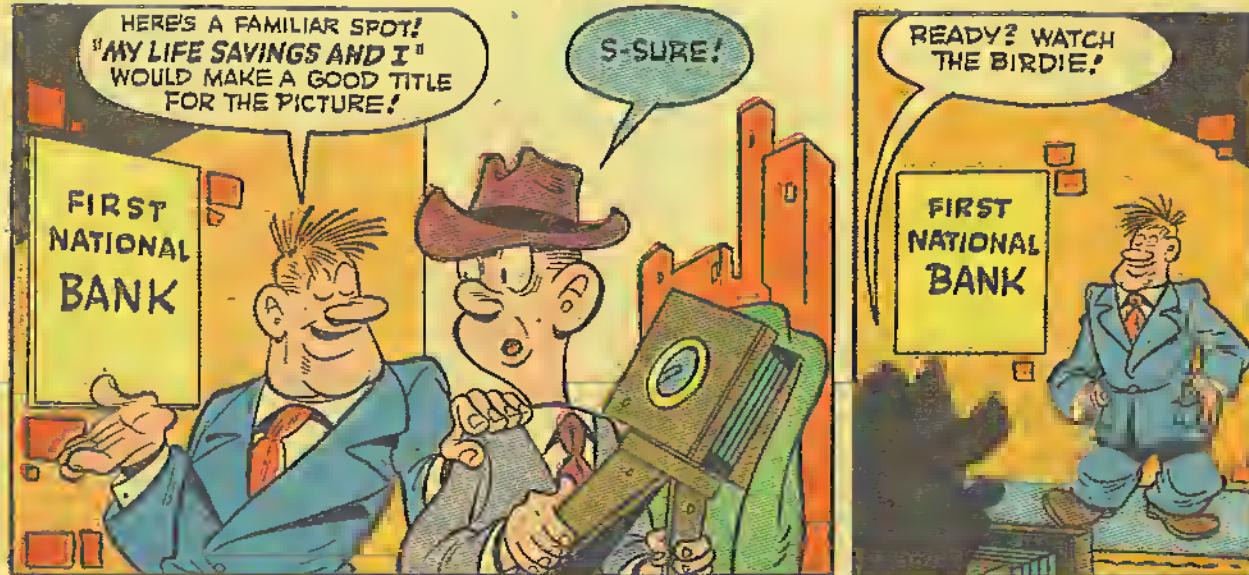
HMM-M! SUPPOSE WE ARRANGE  
FOR A SITTING IMMEDIATELY! THAT  
WILL BE ONE BUCK IN ADVANCE  
FOR THREE PORTRAITS!

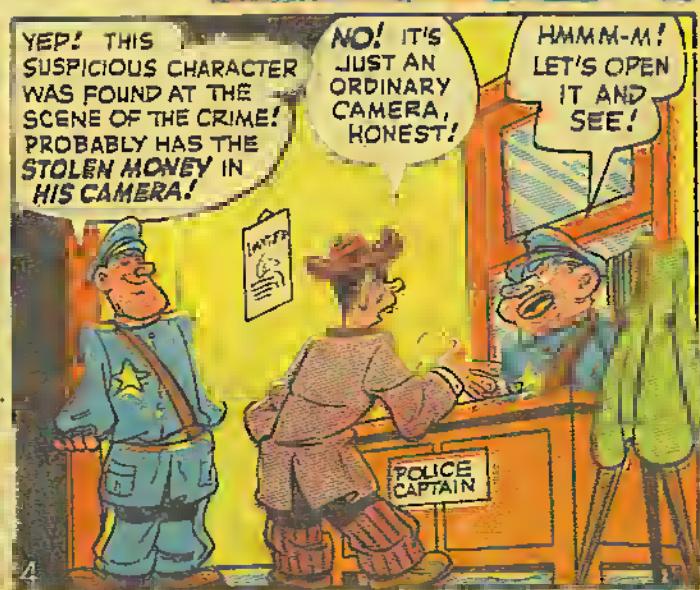
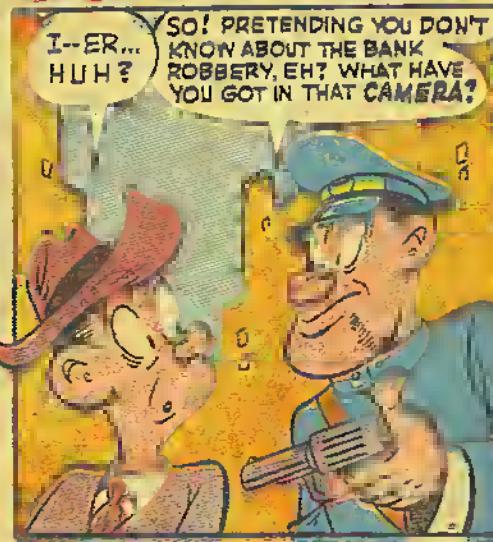
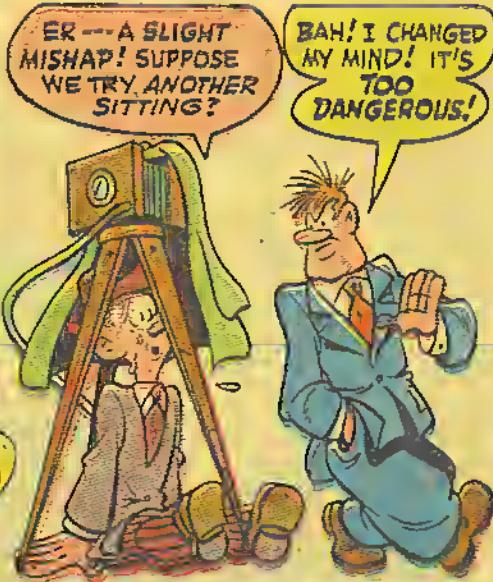
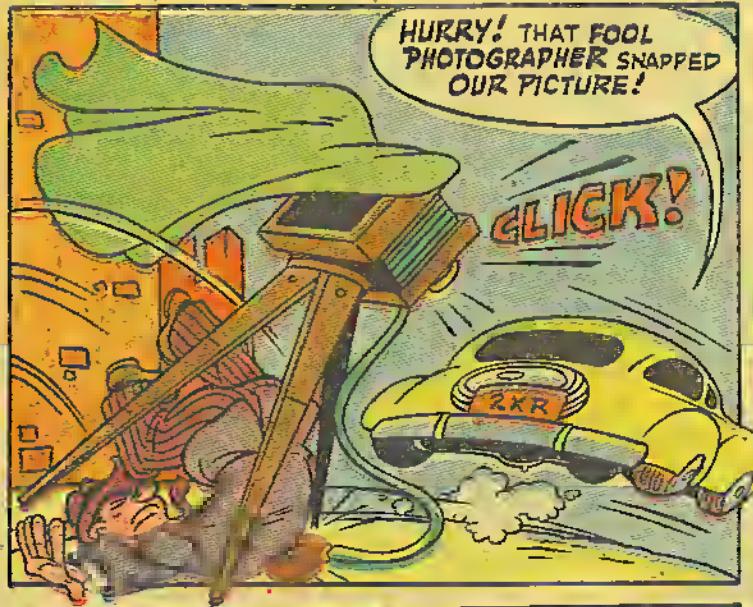
A-ALL  
R-RIGHT!  
>WHEW!

SEE  
"SNAP  
SHOTZ!"

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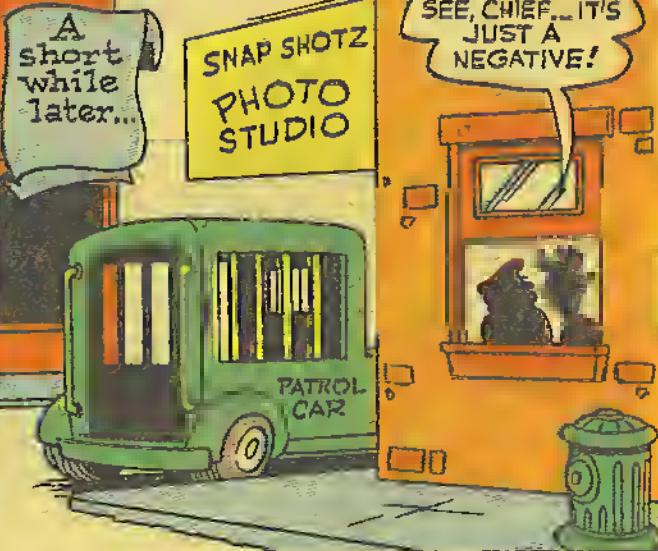






THAT WILL RUIN THE PORTRAIT! BUT IF YOU'LL LET ME OPEN THE CAMERA IN MY STUDIO DARKROOM, I'LL PROVE TO YOU THAT I HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THE ROBBERY!

WELL...  
HMM...



...AND THIS PRINT I'M DEVELOPING WILL BE A PICTURE OF MY CUSTOMER!



GULPS  
THERE MUST BE SOME MISTAKE!

YOU BET THERE IS!  
HMF!



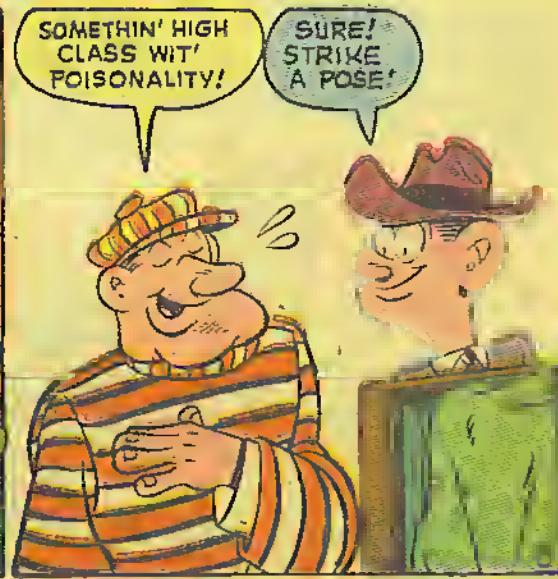
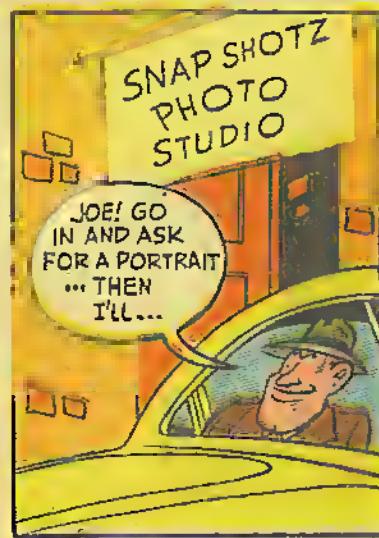
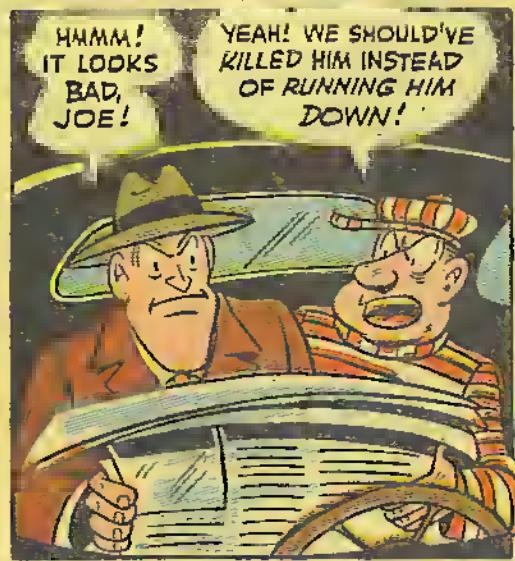
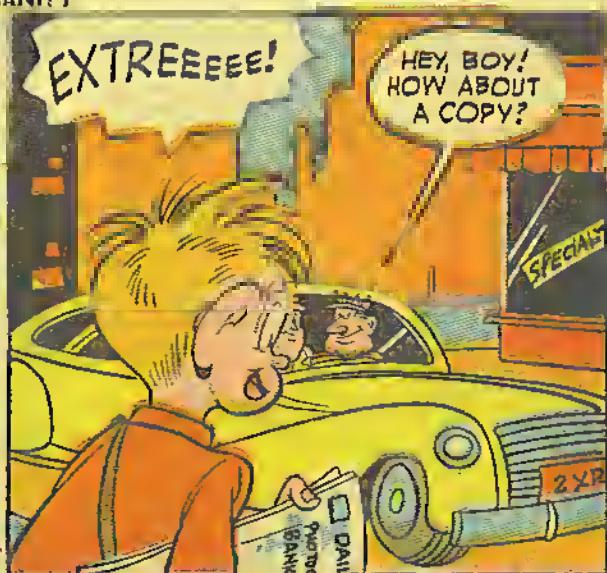
HA! HA! HA! WHAT A GOOD JOKE! WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME YOU TOOK A PICTURE OF THE CROOKS? WE COULD USE A GOOD POLICE PHOTOGRAPHER IN OUR DEPARTMENT!



Back at Police Headquarters...

GOSH! DAILY BLAH?... YEP -- RUN THAT PRINT OF THE GETAWAY CAR... BY SNAP SHOTZ... THE NEW MEMBER OF OUR STAFF!





HMM... THIS GUY LOOKS  
SLIGHTLY FAMILIAR...

HEY! YOU'RE ONE  
OF THE BANK  
CROOKS!

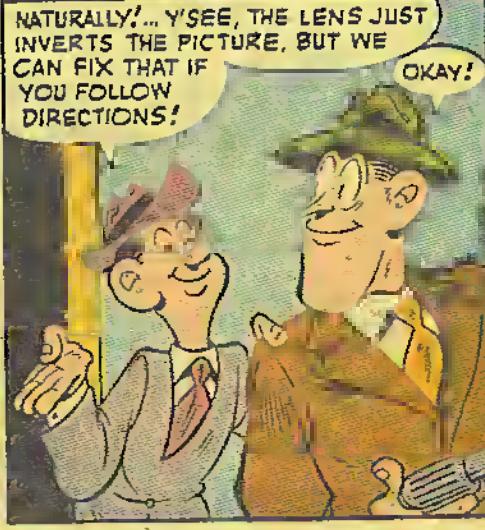
AND I'M THE OTHER!  
LET HIM HAVE IT,  
JOE!

SURE! BUT GEE, BOSS ---  
WHY CAN'T HE FINISH ME  
PICTURE BEFORE WE  
KILL HIM?



HUH? YEAH! ME, TOO!  
I WANT ME PICTURE  
RIGHT SIDE UP SO I  
CAN SHOW IT TO  
ME FRIENDS!

HMM...M-M!



OKAY!



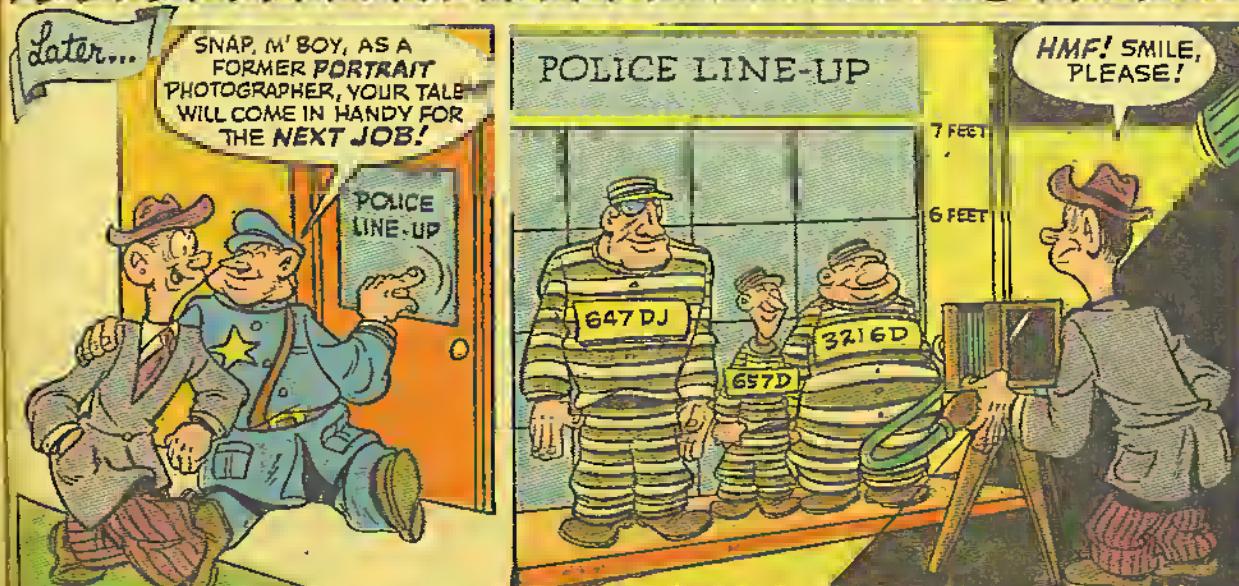
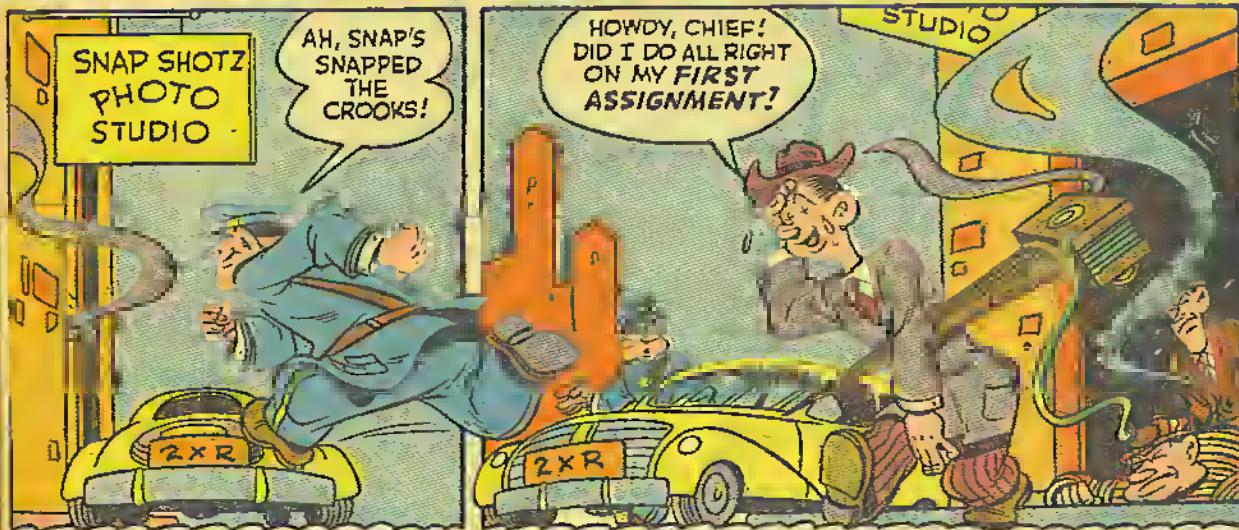
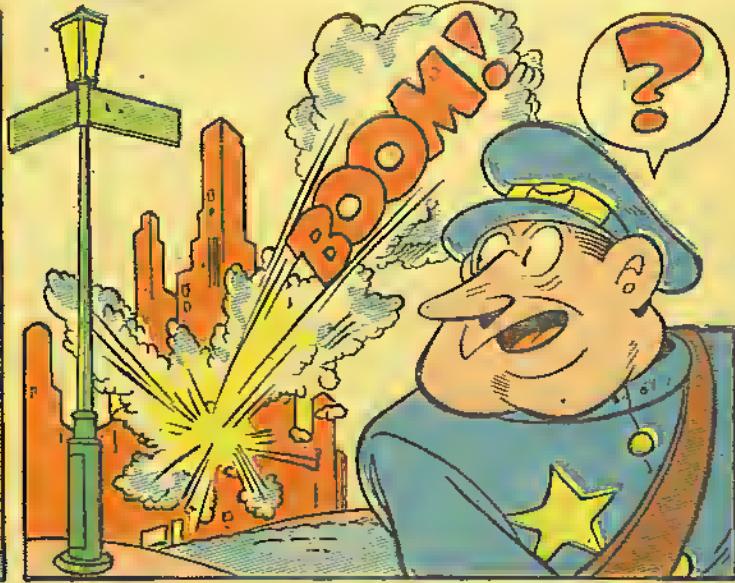
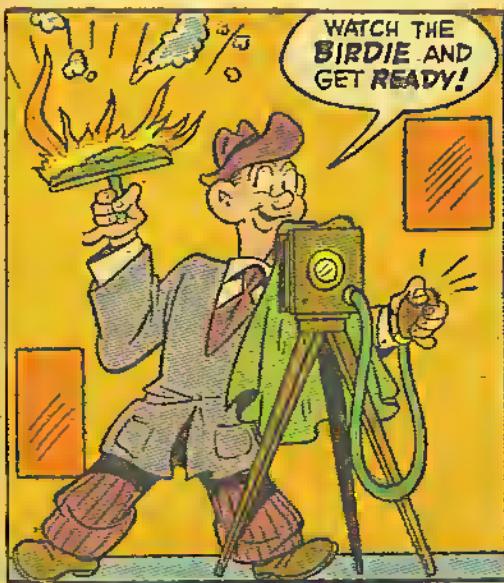
YEAH... ALL  
RIGHT. NOW?

HOLD IT, FELLOWS!  
I'LL LOAD UP THE FLASH  
POWDER FOR THE BIG  
MOMENT!

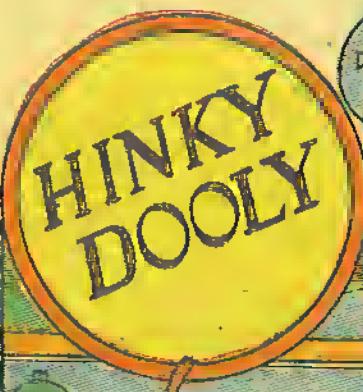
AN OVER DOSE OF  
GUN POWDER  
OUGHT TO DO  
THE TRICK!



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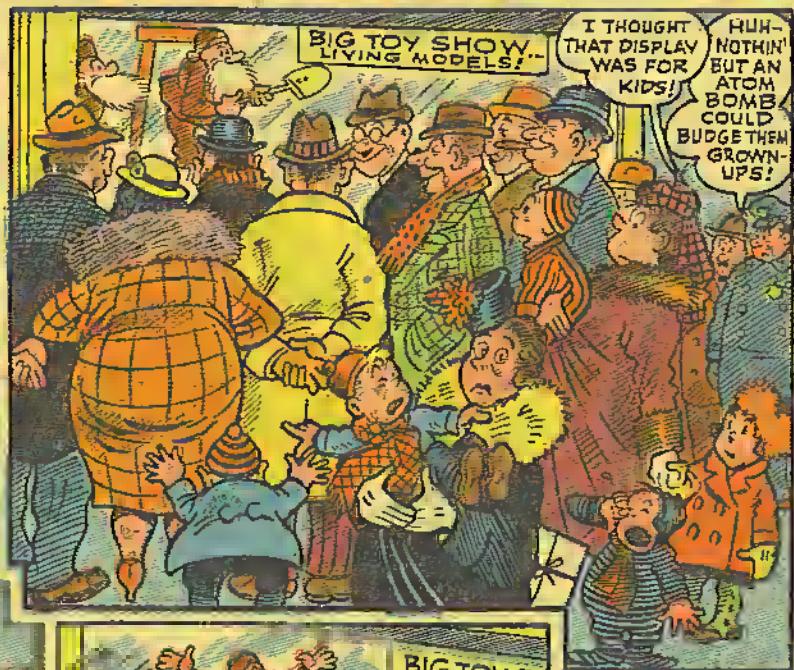
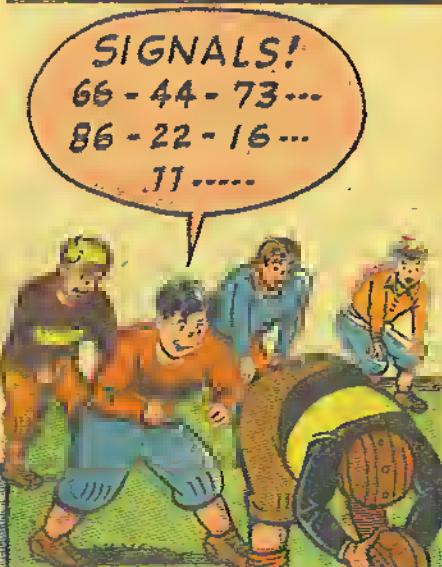
BUT I  
DON'T GET  
IT, HINKY!

WHY HOLD A  
FOOTBALL  
PRACTICE  
THIS TIME  
O' YEAR?

AND WHY  
FOR MIKE'S  
SAKE, HOLD  
IT DOWN  
THERE?

FOLLER  
ME, FELLERS...  
YOU'LL  
SEE!

ALWUZ  
SOME PLOT  
COOKIN' UP  
THAT GUY'S  
SLEEVE!



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KID ETERNITY AND HIS GUARDIAN, MR. KEEPER FACE A MENACE WHICH THREATENS TO DEFEAT THEM! KALI, PRINCE OF EVIL, IS THEIR DREAD ANTAGONIST! FOLLOW THE FATEFUL STRUGGLE BETWEEN GOOD AND EVIL AS THEY FOLLOW THE TRAIL OF THE BLACK DIAMOND OF DOOM!

HIGH ON A LONELY HILL TOP STANDS THE WEATHER-BEATEN BLACK CASTLE OF THE INFAMOUS SAVARDA...



AND HERE...

YOU HAVE PASSED THE FINAL TEST, KALI! OF ALL MY DISCIPLES, ONLY YOU HAVE PROGRESSED SO FAR!

IS THERE NO MORE TO LEARN?



I CAN TEACH NO MORE! SOMETIMES I FEAR THAT THE DISCIPLE ALREADY KNOWS MORE THAN HIS MASTER! YOUR POWER FOR EVIL KNOWS NO EQUAL BUT MINE!



TOMORROW YOU WILL LEAVE THIS PLACE, KALI! THERE IS MUCH TO BE DONE!



BUT, LATER THAT NIGHT...

DIE, SAVARDA!

AHHHH!



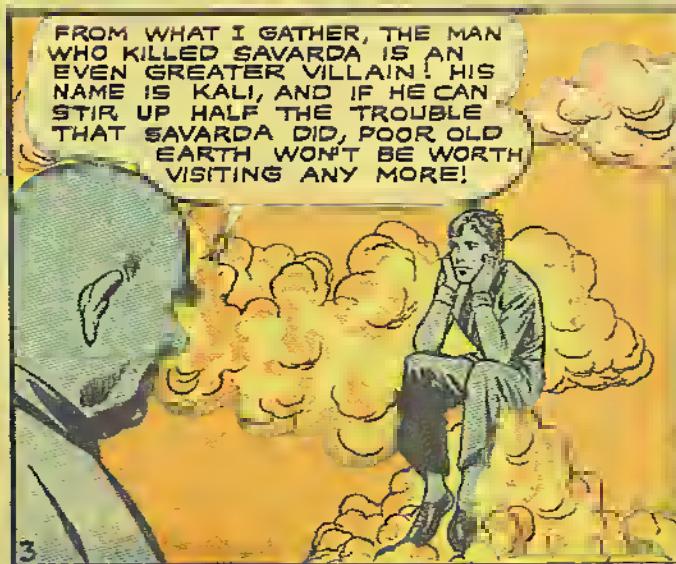
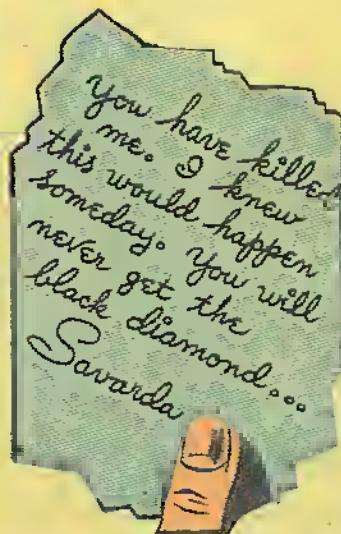
FOOL! YOU THOUGHT TO KEEP THE SECRET OF THE BLACK DIAMOND FROM ME! BUT YOU FAILED!



I KNOW WHERE YOU KEEP IT HIDDEN! SOON THE DIAMOND WILL BE MINE!



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IF IT'S THAT BAD, WE OUGHT TO HOP DOWN TO EARTH TO KEEP AN EYE ON THIS KALI!

NOT ME! I DON'T WANT ANY TRUCK WITH THAT FELLOW!



YOU OLD FAKER! YOU KNOW THAT'S WHY YOU TOLD ME ABOUT HIM IN THE FIRST PLACE!

WELL..UH..I HAPPEN TO KNOW THAT KALI IS AFTER THE BLACK DIAMOND!



WHAT'S THAT?

SAVARD STOLE IT FROM AN EGYPTIAN!..MURDERED HIM TO GET IT! THE RUMOR IS THAT EVERYONE WHO OWNS THE BLACK DIAMOND WILL HAVE GREAT POWER AND WEALTH...



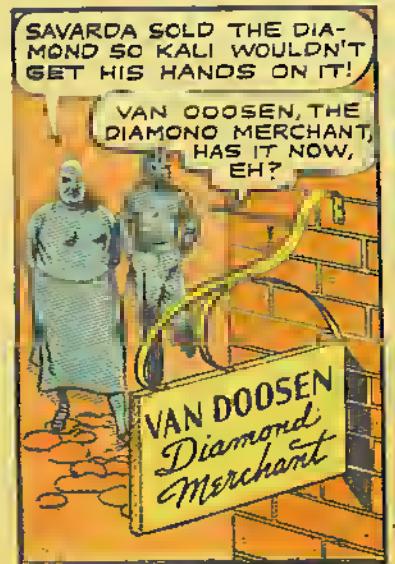
..BUT THEY WILL DIE BY VIOLENCE!

YOU DON'T REALLY BELIEVE THAT!



SAVARD SOLD THE DIAMOND SO KALI WOULDN'T GET HIS HANDS ON IT!

VAN DOOSSEN, THE DIAMOND MERCHANT, HAS IT NOW, EH?



OR SHOULD I SAY THAT HE HAD IT?

HE'S BEEN M-MURDERED!

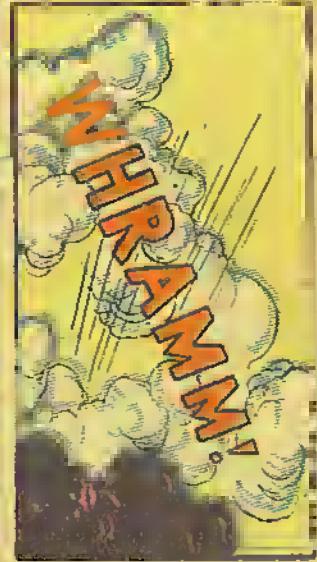


KALI DOES! AND IT'S A CURIOUS FACT THAT THE OWNER OF THE BLACK DIAMOND ALWAYS DID DIE BY VIOLENCE! I REMEMBER WHEN ANTHONY FIRST GAVE IT TO CLEOPATRA...

NOW, DON'T START REMINISCING AGAIN, KEEP!



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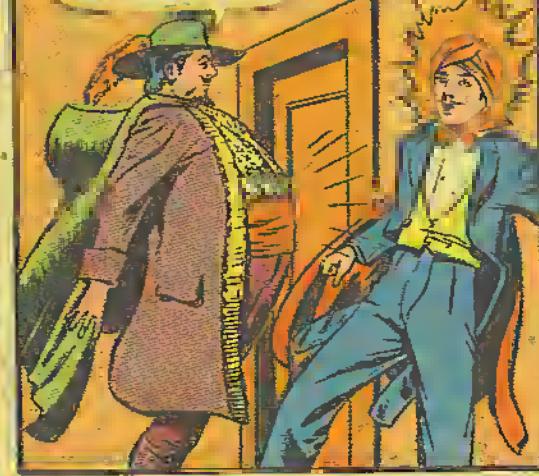


I FOUGHT WITH THE THREE MUSKETEERS! IT WAS SAID, NOT WITHOUT JUSTICE, THAT I WAS THE STRONGEST MAN IN FRANCE!

I MUST BE DREAMING! YOU CAN'T BE **REAL!**

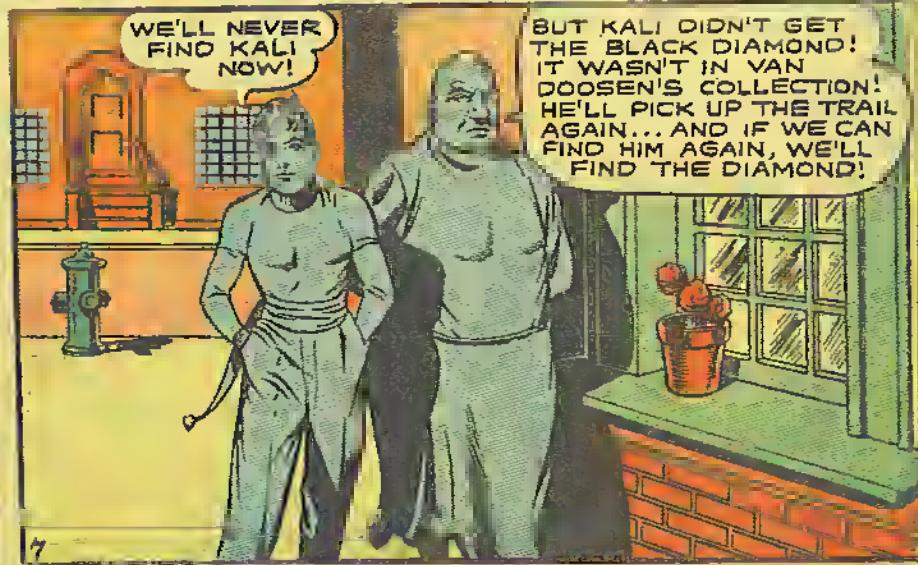
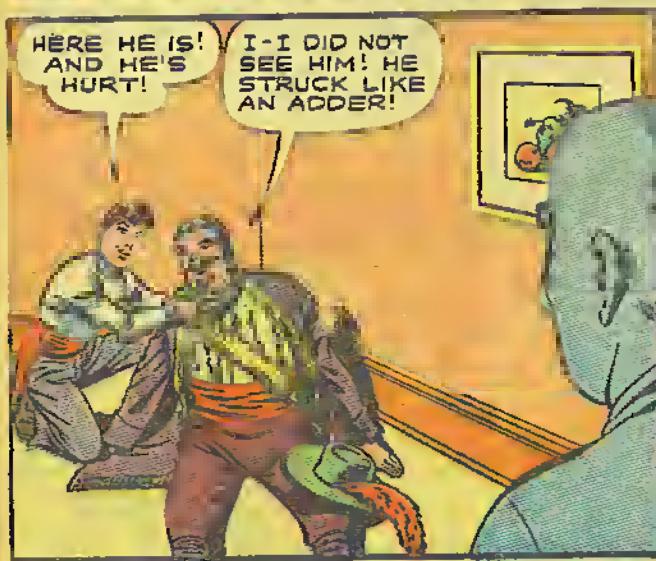
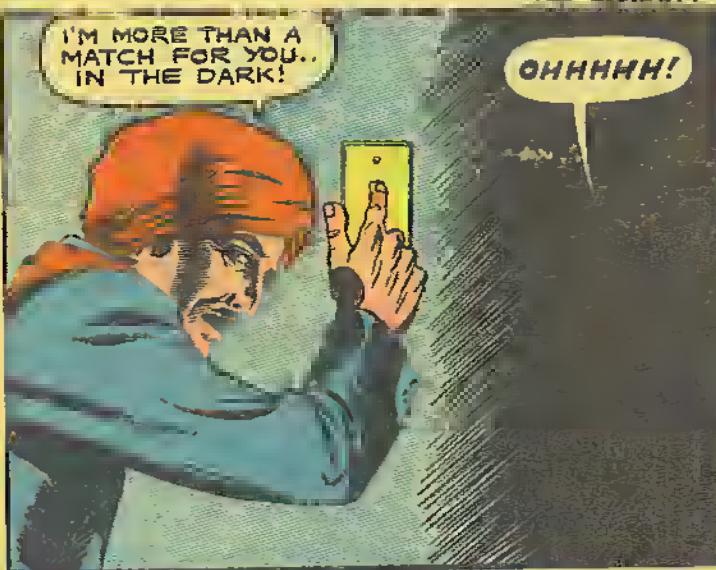
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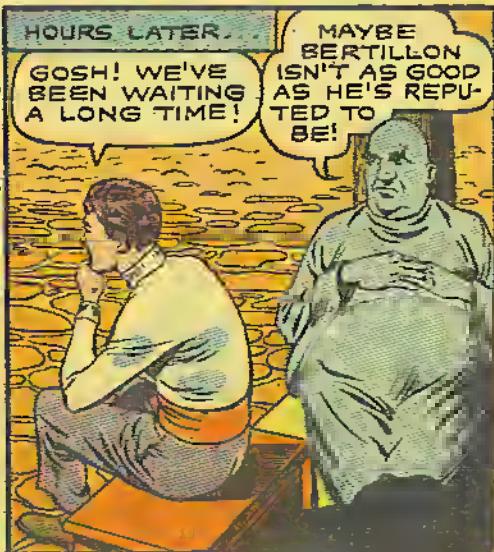


O-DON'T HIT ME AGAIN!

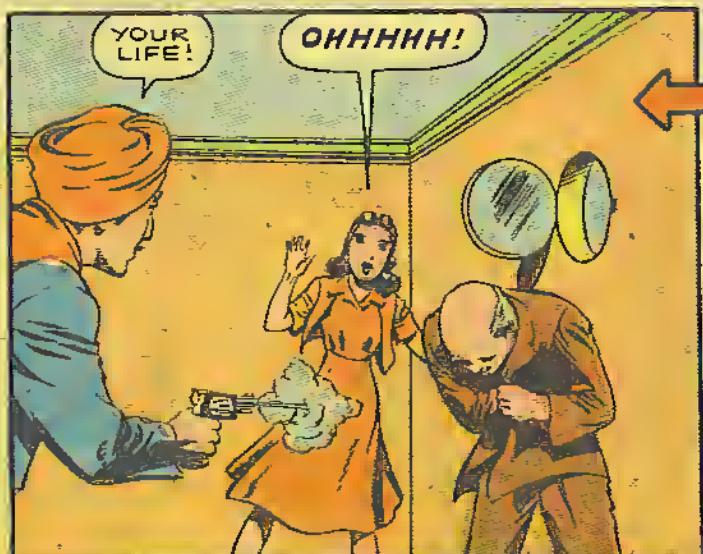
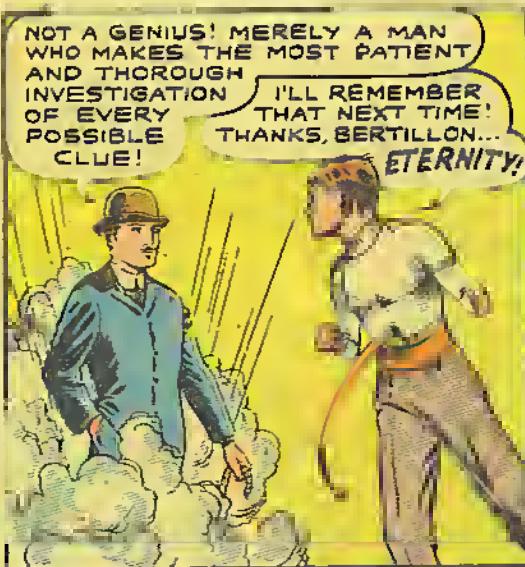


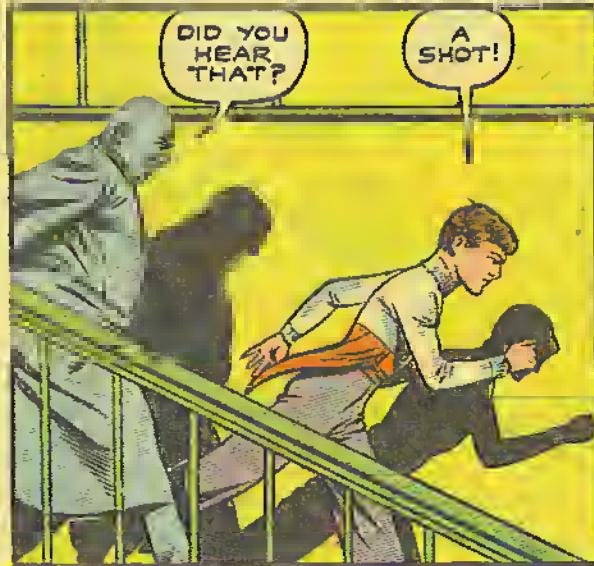


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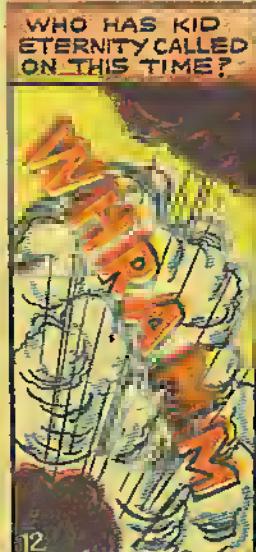
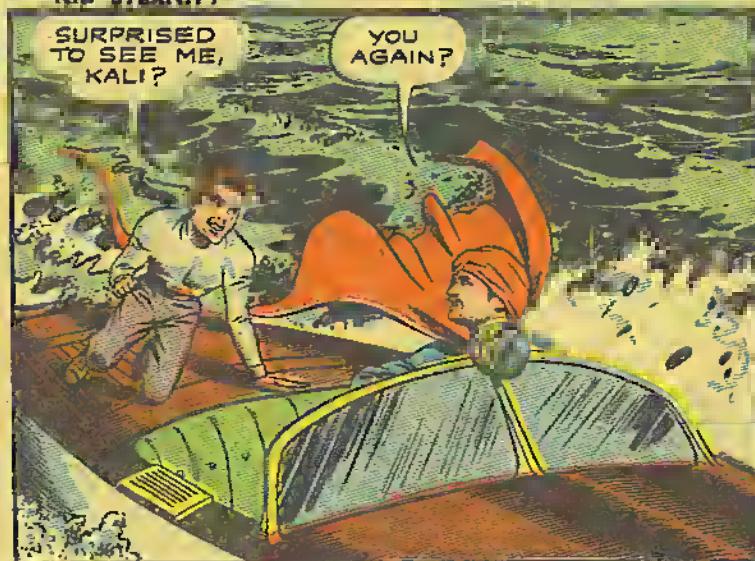
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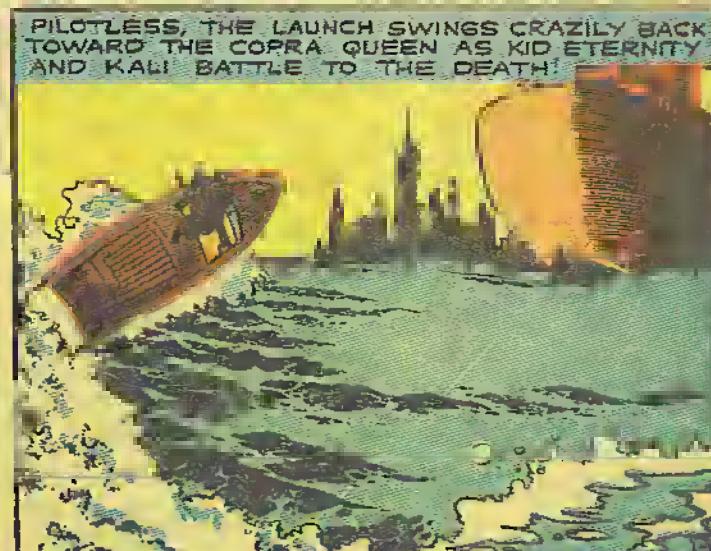


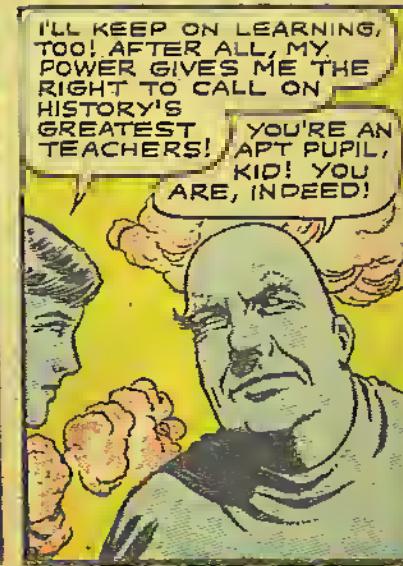


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